

Ex-Confederates Snubbed.
The ex-Confederates living at Columbus, Ohio, received a snub in that city on memorial day last week. A magnificent funeral tribute was tendered by the Southerners for the graves of the Union dead at Green Lawn Cemetery which was refused. Great indignation followed among various members of the G. A. R. Post. The southerners are reassured by action of the committee that this action is not indicative of the individual opinion of those who made the refusal and that the G. A. R. has no sympathy with this action.

Disaster in Japan.
The steamer Kinsley, Marsu brings news from the Orient of a large fire at Yamagata, Japan. Six hundred houses and eleven shrines and temples were destroyed. A number of lives were lost. Thirty houses were burned in the Abobishi theatre fire at Kobe, April 30. One man perished.